

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

The attached sheets of drawings include changes to Figures 1-4. These sheets, which include Figures. 1-4, replace the corresponding previously presented sheets.

Attachment: Replacement Sheets
Annotated Sheets Showing Changes

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-3, 5-22 are pending in this application. Independent claims 1, 3, 14, 15, 17, 18, 20 and 21 incorporate allowable subject matter of claim 4. Independent claims 11, 16, 19 and 22 incorporate allowable subject matter of claim 8. Previous dependent claims 7 and 8, which were indicated as allowable, are presented in independent form. Therefore, Applicants submit independent claims 1, 3, 7, 8, 11 and 14-22 are allowable.

The remaining claims are dependent upon an allowed independent claim and are, therefore, allowable.

CONCLUSION

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In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, it is believed that all of the claims in this application are patentable and Applicants respectfully request early passage to issue of the present application.

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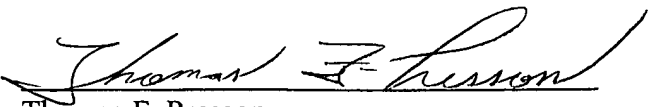
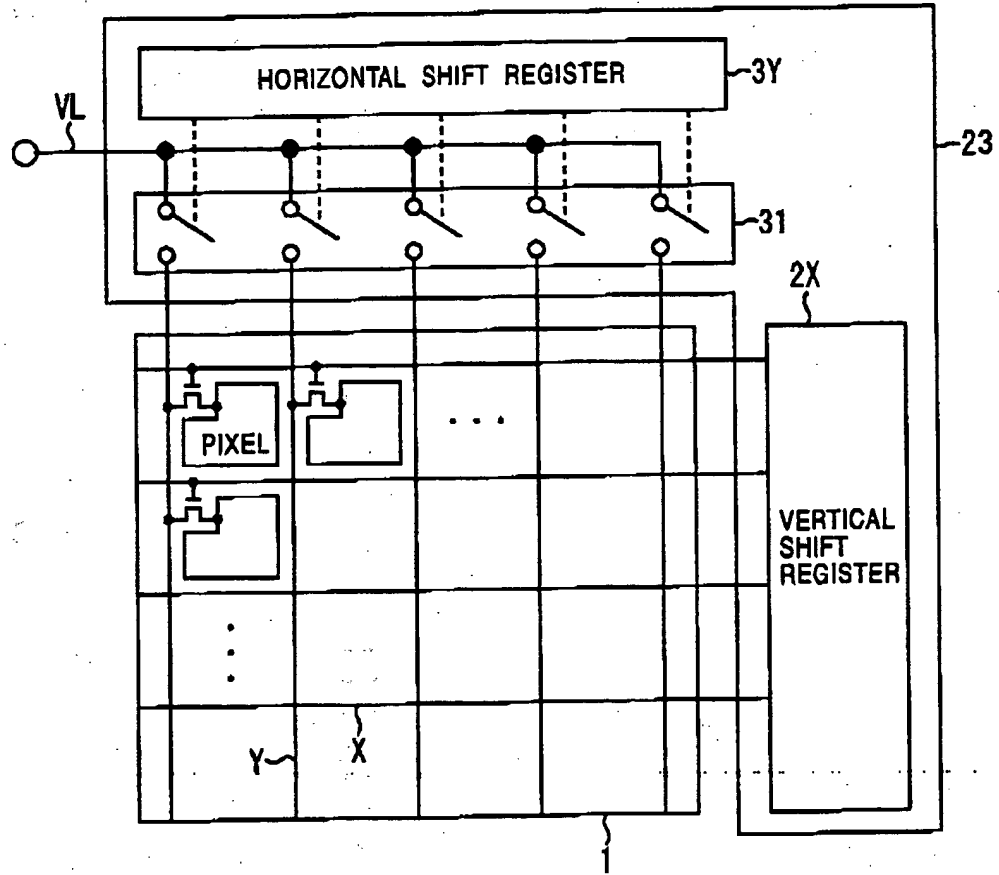
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FIG. 1 Prior Art



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FIG. 2C

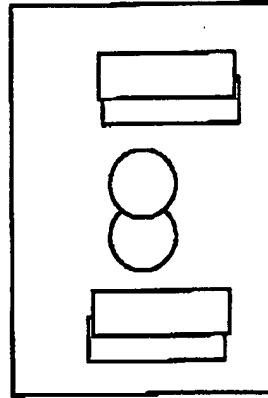


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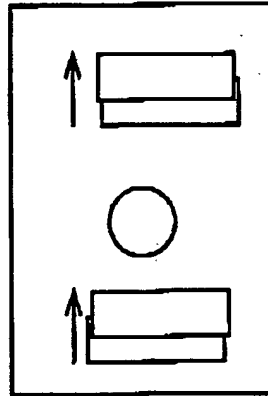


FIG. 2A

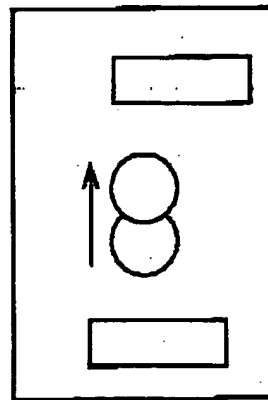


FIG. 3 Prior Art

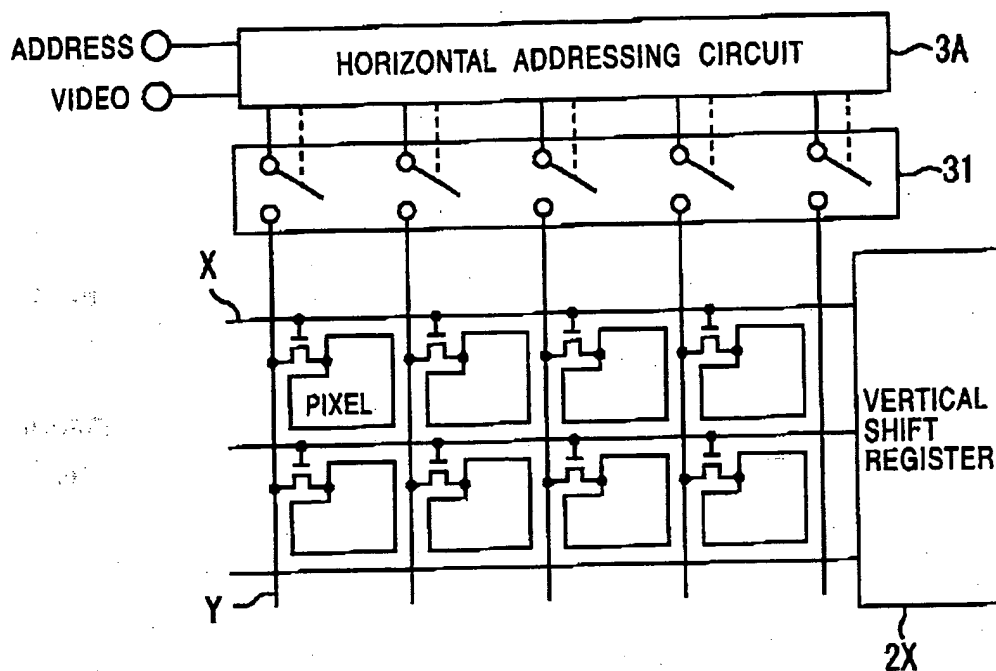


FIG. 4 Prior Art

